

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : HAMBITZER
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 26, 2008

Dear Sir:

In response to the Election of Species Requirement dated February 12, 2008, the applicant hereby elects the following species:

Subgenus (a), solid particle material: (i) ceramic, silicon carbide, silicon nitride (claims 7, 12).

Subgenus (b), porous structure: not bonded (claim 13).

Subgenus (c), active mass: (i) Li, Na, Ca (claims 20, 21).

It appears that all claims except claim 14 read on the elected species.

Early and favorable action on the merits is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,

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